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Situation Report

Severe Storms

March 16, 2006 12pm

CURRENT UPDATES WILL BE IN BOLD-FACE TYPE

Situation:

Officials with the State of Missouri and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) continue damage assessments throughout the areas affected by the weekend storms. Joint damage assessments are complete today in one county (Carroll). Joint damage assessments are underway in eight additional counties (Cass, Douglas, Johnson, Lawrence, Montgomery, Putnam, Scott, and Vernon), with one additional county (Chariton) scheduled for this afternoon. Joint damage assessments were completed in 11 counties (Christian, Hickory, Jefferson, Lincoln, Monroe, Morgan, Perry, Pettis, Randolph, Saline, and Ste Genevieve) earlier this week. Data gathered from the assessments will be used to determine if federal disaster assistance requested earlier in the week by Governor Blunt will be made available. Executive Orders 06-11 and 06-12 implementing Section 41.480.2, RSMo (State of Emergency) and 44.100 and 44.110 RSMo authorizing the use of the Missouri National Guard to support disaster operations, remain in effect..

Federal /State Actions:

- The State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC) has been activated and is maintaining contact with local officials via daily conference calls until the situation stabilizes.
- Missouri State Highway Patrol has assisted in various counties throughout the state supplementing local resources.
- ☐ Missouri Dept of Transportation (MoDOT) and Missouri Dept of Conservation (MDC) crews have been assisting local jurisdictions in debris removal.
- ☐ Missouri Dept of Natural Resources (DNR) has issued cleanup guidance for disposal of appliances, brush, hazardous waste, and household debris. This guidance is being forwarded to County Commissioners.
- ☐ Missouri Dept of Insurance (MDI) will be visiting with residents in affected areas to provide education on coverage available under homeowners/renters insurance policies.

Other State Agency and Volunteer Agency Actions:

On March 13 the Missouri Tornado Hotline (866-254-0140) was activated and will be staffed by AmeriCorps-St. Louis from 9am to 5pm each day to process offers of donated goods, time or money, as well as requests for assistance. Call totals are as follows:

DATE	REQUEST FOR	DONATION	VOLUNTEER	OTHER
	ASSISTANCE	OFFERS	OFFERS	(hang-up, etc)
March 13	3	0	0	0
March 14	27	3	5	2
March 15	45	15	10	5
March 16	7	6	4	2
Total Calls	82	24	19	9

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Through Wednesday, Americorp in Nixa has processed 298 volunteers, and all have been referred for deployment at various locations in Christian County.

Other actions being taken by volunteer agencies at this time include the following:

- American Red Cross has deployed staff and resources from throughout the state to assist disaster survivors. They have established reception centers, mobile feeding and service centers in needed areas. Disaster Relief Operation for American Red Cross will be a national level operation managed out of Springfield.
- ☐ The Salvation Army is operating feeding units, donations management centers and bulk distribution sites.
- AmeriCorps St Louis has deployed teams to the St Louis area, Perry County, Hickory County, the Lebanon area, and the State Emergency Operations Center in Jefferson City. AmeriCorps teams are on site assisting with damage assessment, debris removal for special populations and mitigating against further damage.
- Southern Baptist Disaster Relief has activated mobile feeding teams and debris removal teams for special populations.
- ☐ The Disaster Recovery Partnership and MoVOAD are supporting establishment of Multi-Agency Resource Centers (MARCs) where needed.

Fatalities/Injuries:

County	Fatalities	Injuries	Notes
	REGION A		
Henry	1	13	
Johnson	0	4	
Lafayette	1	0	
Pettis	1	6	
	REGION B		
Monroe	0	1	
Randolph	4	13	
	REGION C		
Lincoln	0	6	1 serious, 5 minor, reported on Thursday
Perry	2	10	
Ste. Genevieve	0	6	2 Critically Injured Upgraded to Serious from Critical
	REGION D		
Cedar	0	6	
Christian	0	3	
Greene	0	4	
Hickory	0	12	Only 1 Injured person remains hospitalized
Lawrence	1	1	
Newton	0	1	
Vernon	0	1	
Webster	0	3	
	REGION F		
Montgomery	0	2	
Morgan	0	5	
State Total	10	97	

Damages to Homes

Dumages to Homes				
County	Destroyed	Damaged	Notes	
	REGION A			
Bates	3	0	Damage to fire station in Amsterdam	
Carroll	1	17	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment complete	
Cass	0	0	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment in progress	
Henry	5	2		

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County	Destroyed	Damaged	Notes
Johnson	30	50	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment in progress
Pettis	7	17	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment complete
Ray	0	0	Damage to school reported in Orrick
Saline	8	8	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment complete
	REGION B		
Chariton	0	0	Joint damage assessment projected for today
Monroe	21	87	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment complete
Putnam	0	0	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment in progress
Randolph	21	40	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment complete
	REGION C		
Jefferson	5	14	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment complete
Lincoln	6	14	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment complete
Pike	0	1	
Perry	8	14	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment complete
Ste Genevieve	4	7	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment complete
Washington	1	0	Fire destroyed house when floodwaters prevented fire department from accessing property
	REGION D		
Christian	127	138	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment in complete
Greene	4	34	
Hickory	19	29	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment complete
Lawrence	25	48	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment in progress
Newton	0	20	
St. Clair	0	5	St. Clair County reported this damage Wednesday
Taney	0	0	
Vernon	6	13	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment in progress
Webster	14	51	3 1 3
	REGION E		
Iron	1	12	
Madison	0	3	
Mississippi	1	18	
New Madrid	0	73	
Scott	2	104	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment in progress
	REGION F		
Howard	2	0	
Montgomery	8	24	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment in progress
Morgan	20	10	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment complete
Osage	0	10	
	REGION G		
Douglas	0	0	Joint FEMA/SEMA damage assessment in progress
Wright	7	21	
	REGION I		
Laclede	0	6	
State Total	385	924	

<u>Point of Contact:</u> SEMA Duty Officer after hours (**Starting at 8:00 p.m. March 15**) number is 573-751-2748, during normal duty hours calls should be made to 573-526-9100.

SEMA will provide three situation reports per day, at 0800; 1200; and 1700 hours.

 $\label{lem:continuous} \begin{tabular}{ll} This Situation Report and other storm-related information may be viewed at the following web address: $$ $$ $$ \underline{$http://sema.dps.mo.gov/SevereStormsMarch2006.htm}$$$